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Inspection of immigrants at San Juan during the week ended November 3, 1900.

SAN JUAN, P. R., November 5, 1900.

SIR: I submit herewith report of alien steerage passengers arriving at this port during the week ended November 3, 1900:

Date.	Vessel.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
Oct. 28	Spanish steamship Cataluña.....	Genoa, Barcelona, Malaga, Cadiz, Las Palmas, Tenerife, Santa Cruz de la Palma.	32
Oct. 29	Spanish steamship Niceto	Liverpool	3
Nov. 3	French steamship Olinde Rodrigues	Havre, Bordeaux, St. Thomas.....	9
	Total		44

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Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.,
Chief Quarantine Officer for Porto Rico.

Report of immigrants inspected at subports of Porto Rico, during the month of October, 1900.

Total number of immigrants inspected, 1 (at Mayaguez); number passed, 1 (at Mayaguez); number certified for deportation on account of dangerous contagious or loathsome diseases, or for other physical causes, none.

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SCOTLAND.

Report from Glasgow.

GLASGOW, SCOTLAND, November 7, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report for the week ended November 3, 1900: Six vessels were inspected and received bills of health. There were inspected 290 of crew, 29 cabin and 63 steerage passengers, and 27 cattlemen. In addition, 47 pieces of baggage were inspected and 10 pieces disinfected. The passenger traffic from this port is now very light, and I am informed that it usually remains so during the winter months. On November 1 the last vessels of this season left this port for Montreal, so there will be no further Canadian boats to inspect. Many of the vessels previously trading to Canada will be put into the service with the United States, and the number of vessels clearing each week will remain about the same.

There has been no development in the plague at this port, and on the 3d instant the last cases were discharged from hospital, but the port will not be declared free from infection until 10 days have elapsed since dismissal. On the 2d instant there were in the free hospital 26 cases of smallpox, and 4 cases of typhus fever, and there had died at this hospital during the preceding week 2 persons from smallpox and 1 from typhus.

Respectfully,

A. R. THOMAS,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
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